

The King's Herald

September 2024



Service Times!

Sunday

8:00 a.m. (Traditional)

10:40 a.m. (Contemporary)

Wednesday

11:45 a.m.

6:30 p.m.

We will miss you Tom!

Mark Your Calendar!

September 1

Church Council Meeting

September 13

PJ Prayer Time

September 2

Labor Day

September 15

ALUAF Dessert Auction

September 6-7

Youth Lock In

September 23

Life Line Screening

September 6

Prayer Summit

7:00 p.m.

September 25

Youth Led Worship

September 7

Black Belt

September 29

Children's Ministry
family picnic

September 8

Confirmation Sunday

September 29-10/2

LCMC Annual Gathering



Pastor's Notes — Labor Day Prayer Summit

God's promises about Hard Work to Inspire You through the Hardest Times, including "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." (Philippians 4:13)

We all know that hard work, commitment, and dedication is an important part of the Abundant Life in Christ, but the path isn't always easy or even clear. This is just a part of the life of faith where God made things so that we must keep our eyes on Him. But God's Word in the Bible guides and inspires us during even the hardest of times because God wants us to thrive in all aspects of our lives. He gave us the tools, talents, and gifts to do just that. It's easy to forget, but these Bible verses are easy reminders that the Lord is always with us, standing by our side, being our strength in Christ, and leading us through Holy Spirit.

So whether you're unsure what step is next (check Proverbs 16:3), if the long journey is worth the reward (2 Timothy 4:7), or if you just need a little reminder that God is always with you (1 Corinthians 10:31), these Bible verses have inspiration for you in any situation you find yourself.

1) Psalm 90:17

"Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!"

The Good News: Anything we set to do apart from God's will, blessing, and establishment is meaningless. It's important to make sure whatever we do is in the will of the Lord, and therefore we ask for his blessing over our work.

2) Psalm 128:2

"You shall eat the fruit of the labor of your hands; you shall be blessed, and it shall be well with you."

The Good News: God rewards those who work hard, and that reward can come in a variety of ways. But if you continue to put in a solid work ethic, you will see fruit in the outcome.

3) Proverbs 14:23

"In all toil there is profit, but mere talk tends only to poverty."

The Good News: You have to talk the talk and walk the walk if you expect to succeed. Put in the hard work coupled with the will and wisdom of God, and you will see wealth in some form come your way. Be both hearers and doers of God's Word and work.

4) Proverbs 16:3

"Commit your work to the Lord, and your plans will be established."

The Good News: Even if you're lost and don't know your way out through a difficult situation right now, give it all up to God. Covenant with God that you will stay at it until the end, and he promises to lay a path down for you.

5) Proverbs 21:25

"The desire of the sluggard kills him, for his hands refuse to labor."

The Good News: A lazy, uninspired person will not get anything done. Ask God to help you avoid all temptations of doubt and slothfulness, and you'll thrive in every way in life.

6) Romans 12:11

"Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord."

The Good News: Just as God preaches, don't lose your fire. Have passion for your work and remain steadfast in your love for the Lord. Then, you will surely see success.

7) 1 Corinthians 10:31

"So, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God."

The Good News: It doesn't matter if you're working, eating, hanging out with friends, or any other type of activity, it's vital to keep the Lord in mind and view when doing any act during your day. Always be kind to the other; they're fighting some battle too!

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Pastor's Notes — Labor Day Prayer Summit

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8) Galatians 6:9

"And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up."

The Good News: Although we may not immediately see the reward for our hard work and good works, fruit and rewards will come. Do not give up! Persevere!

9) Philippians 2:14-15

"Do all things without grumbling or questioning, that you may be blameless and innocent, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and twisted generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world."

The Good News: Even in dark and confusing times, do whatever is needed without a doubt or hesitation. Trust the Lord! If you choose to work hard and keep your head down, others will follow your lead. Amen!

10) Philippians 4:13

"I can do all things through him who strengthens me."

The Good News: At the end of the day, God is our strength. We can do anything in His will, thanks to him. Ask for his help, strength, and support.

11) Colossians 3:23-24

"Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ."

The Good News: No matter what you do, you are using the gifts that the Lord gave you. If you put your God-given talents to use, you are saying to God that you love him and worship him.

12) 2 Thessalonians 3:10-12

"For even when we were with you, we would give you this command: If anyone is not willing to work, let him not eat. For we hear that some among you walk in idleness, not busy at work, but busybodies. Now such persons we command and encourage in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living."

The Good News: Those not willing to put in the work just won't prosper in their journey in the ways that are lasting, meaningful, and enduring. If you decide to put in the effort and dedication that it takes to succeed, do so quietly and without pride. Then the Lord will know who you are truly working for.

13) 1 Timothy 5:8

"But if anyone does not provide for his relatives, and especially for members of his household, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever."

The Good News: You have been given so many gifts and tools to support your loved ones. So step up and provide, and you will be following God and his Son Jesus's lead. It may be difficult at first, but you'll bring joy to not only others, but yourself as well.

14) 2 Timothy 2:6

"It is the hard-working farmer who ought to have the first share of the crops."

The Good News: Those who work hard and put in the effort deserve to be rewarded. It's as simple as that.

15) 2 Timothy 4:7

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith."

The Good News: Hard work, dedication, and staying true to your Lord in faith always pays off in the end. Stick to it and you will be rewarded — God will make sure of it.

Trust and follow Jesus. He gives you power, love, and self-control.

Children & Youth Ministries

Youth Calendar

- Sept 6** Youth Lock-In with Sardines (the game, not the canned fish)
Sept 8 Confirmation Sunday
Sept 22 Youth Fellowship @ 4 - 5:30 PM - Join us for homemade ice cream and games. Yes, there will be Uno.
Sept 25 Youth-led Worship & First Priority's See You At The Pole (Prayer meeting at the flagpole in front of your school, sponsored by your First Priority Club)

Children Calendar

- Sept 13** PJ Prayer Time 5:30PM - 9:00PM
Sept 29 Children Ministry Family Picnic at Pelham Park (off Hwy 31) immediately following 10:40 worship. Bring a picnic lunch & come play and fellowship with us!



Rally Sunday was a blast! We heard about all of the adult, youth, and children's education opportunities and celebrated what God is doing through our Acolyte Ministry.

Did you miss Youth-led Worship on July 31?
Watch the recording!
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VEcHFV862xU>



S.O.S.



We picked okra



We picked up trash around the community playground and then played on it!



We listened to Mr. Boyd share how important it is to be good stewards of the land that God has given us.



And we had a celebration lunch and painted butterfly houses to remind us of God's Awesome Creation, our theme for the summer. A big thank you to everyone for making this happen!



Hey everyone!

We are settling down into our new classrooms. We have been learning all about me! We will start curriculum in September. We will be closed September 2nd for Labor Day.

I would like to thank everyone for allowing me to be your director for the past five years. I started off being a toddler teacher and worked my way up to director. I have a total of 10 years here. I have loved my time here at Christ the King. I have gotten to know some of you very well and I have enjoyed that. All of you have been so sweet to me. I will miss you all.

May God bless you and keep you well,

Love,
April





You're invited to a Life Line Screening event!

Where: Christ the King Lutheran Church

When: September 23rd, 2024

Life Line Screening is the nation's leader in **Stroke and Cardiovascular Disease Risk** Screenings.

Trusted by over 10 million customers.

Screenings are simple and painless. Get peace of mind or early detection.

Who should attend:

Anyone over the **age of 40**

Special Member Pricing for \$159

- ♥ Carotid Artery Disease Screening
- ♥ Atrial Fibrillation Screening
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- ♥ Peripheral Artery Disease Screening
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Text the word "**circle**"
to **216-279-1607**

These tests cannot detect all risk factors for all conditions, such as and including the presence of coronary artery disease. Those with abnormal results should discuss possible next steps with their family healthcare provider and ensure they understand the risk and benefits of any additional testing or procedures.



Support our annual **ALUAF Dessert Auction** to preserve our tax exempt status and raise money for Children's Harbor!

Sunday, September 15, immediately following 10:40 worship in the Luther Room. Lunch by Fellowship Committee included!

Will you come and bring a treat to auction off? Will you come and buy a treat to support a good cause?

Please RSVP to the church office if you will join us (so we have a good count for lunch) and if you will bring a dessert.

Dick O'Brien is Retiring!

After 20 years and many countless hours of love and dedication as the church Business Manager, Dick is retiring October 1. We are so incredibly thankful for his guidance here and will miss his "grumpy" face on a daily basis. His retirement luncheon will be on Sunday, October 13 immediately following 10:40 worship



ONE MILE FUN WALK + RUN

FOR BREAST CANCER RESEARCH



Raise awareness and join the walk!
Bring your family and friends to
walk one-mile to support breast
cancer research in Alabama.

SUNDAY, OCT 20



PATRIOTS PARK
600 INDUSTRIAL RD, ALABASTER, AL 35007

1:30 PM

REGISTRATION AT EVENT

3:00 PM

ONE MILE STARTS

EVENT + REGISTRATION DETAILS

- **Wear Pink**
- **2 Laps = one-mile**
- **\$10 per adult**
- **Children under 10 walk free**
- **All donations welcome**
- **Water provided**



Proceeds benefit the Breast Cancer
Research Foundation of Alabama,
a 501(c)(3) nonprofit.
Learn more at borfa.org.



**Breast Cancer
Research Foundation
of Alabama**

For more information contact: 205-620-9857

Christian Education Classes

Sunday:

Jesus's Questions in The Gospel of John led by Pastor Chris in the Luther Room. This class is for everyone

Disciple 2 Bible Study led by Anita Humphries in Fellowship 2. A 32 week deeper study of Genesis and Exodus in the Old Testament and Luke and Acts in the New Testament.

Oasis with Maizie Nelson and Martha Green in the Luther Room Foyer:

Oasis = An area made fertile by a source of freshwater in an otherwise dry and arid region.

Oasis is a place for God to nurture the wellsprings of our souls. We seek the guidance of Holy Spirit as we grow together toward Christian maturity. Jesus, the Good Shepherd, strengthens the weak, heals the sick, brings back the outcast, and seeks the lost. We study God's word, Old and New Testament, worship and praise him, sing, pray, and give mutual encouragement to one another. To God be the Glory as he produces fruit for the building up of his kingdom in our homes, the church, community, and the world. All are welcome, on any Sunday, to come for prayer or come for our entire class.

Children & Youth Sunday Education - NURSERY IS available for infants & children 3 years of age during each worship service, and education time. Following are where everyone will meet:

Nursery (infant - 3 years old) ~ Main Bldg, preschool nursery

3K & K ~ led by Debbie Fick & Christine George in the John Room

1st – 3rd grade ~ led by Jennifer Minner & Cassie Carter in the Matthew/Mark Room

4th – 5th Grade ~ led by Lydia Pizner & Maureen Lynn in the Disciple Room

Jr High ~ led by Amanda DeGreen in the Jr. High Room

Sr High ~ led by Shandra Graf & Kathy Stepanksi in the Youth Room

Tuesday:

Sermon Prep 8:45 a.m. with Pastor and friends in the Library

EVERYONE Tuesday Morning 10:14 - 11 a.m. for everyone, both in person in the Library and on the phone. Those not physically present call 425-436-6342 Access Code: 328663.

Prayer and Bible study (worship night) Tuesday night 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. call 425-436-6342 Access Code: 328663.

Wednesday:

Disciple 1 led by Pastor, Wednesday's at 10:00 a.m. in the Middle School Room. It is a 34-week overview of the whole Bible. All are welcome!

Children's Time (Bible Basic's) each Wednesday at 5:45 p.m. in the Jr. High Room

Youth Bible Study led by Amanda DeGreen at 5:45 p.m. in the Youth Room.

Bible/Book Club Discussion Group led by Pastor Chris, Wednesday's at 5:45 p.m. in the Library. All are welcome!

Thursday:

Disciple 3 Bible Study 1:00 p.m. at Barbara Scott's home. A 32-week deeper study of the prophets in the Old Testament and Paul's letters in the New Testament.

Friday:

Proverbs Bible Study 1:00 p.m. with Audrey Hains at Danberry. Written in 900BC by King Solomon but so relevant today.

Mission Challenge 47

Thank you! We exceeded our Mission Challenge 47 goal!

Our Mission Challenge 47 goal was \$4,700 and we collected \$5,336.94!!! Thank you so much for your generosity and support of our partnership with Christian Service Mission to spread the good news of Jesus Christ as did other believers who helped us start Christ the King here 47 years ago.

Our 1st Friday of the Month Prayer Summit,
9/06/2024!

It will be held from **7:00pm - 8:00pm.**

To join us by **Phone**, please call 425-436-6342

Access code #328663

PJ Prayer Time for Kids

September 13, 5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Contact Miss Jennifer or Miss April to sign up



Food Box Ministry



A food donation bin will be available in the hall, just outside the narthex, next to the choir cabinet. Please consider purchasing an extra food item when you grocery shop and donate toward the food box ministry. *A featured food item will be suggested each month, but any non-perishable food may be donated.*

September - Cans of Tuna & Chicken

If you would like to participate in this ministry or learn more about it, email Wilma at wsween4423@gmail.com or call her at #847-915-5803.



Finance UPDATES

Thank you for your generous response to the Church Council's letter that was mailed to you in August.

“Renew, Restore, Rejoice: Building a Stronger House for His Glory”

Our current loan balance is \$114,900

Ways to contribute financially:

Plates are at the back of the sanctuary, or

Give at www.ctkbham.org, or

Mail a check (611 Riverchase Pkwy W, Hoover, AL 35244), or

Contact the office to use Square

*Thank you so much for
your generosity!*

Christ the King Lutheran Foundation

Top 5 Frequently Asked Questions About Wills

Most people understand the necessity of having a last will. Even if you're young and just starting out, you have some assets, so it's important to have a last will. As you acquire more assets or start a family, the importance of having a will grows.

Financial and legal experts recommend basic estate planning for everyone, but there are many misconceptions about how wills and other estate planning documents work. Don't let unfamiliarity stop you from properly planning your estate. Here are some frequently asked questions--and their answers - - to better acquaint you with the estate planning process.

Q: What happens if a person dies with a last will?

When a person passes away without a last will, the person's assets are probated or passed through the courts for distribution according to the laws of intestacy. In other words, the deceased person's assets will be distributed according to the laws of the state - - not necessarily according to the deceased's wishes.

The laws of each state vary, but the money and other assets typically pass to the spouse first. For example, in California, all the property acquired during the marriage passes completely to the spouse. Any property acquired before the marriage or inherited is split between the spouse and any children.

If a person dies without a living spouse, the estate passes to the children, if any, equally. If there are no children and no spouse, but living parents, the estate passes to the parents. Generally, the state will attempt to find any living relatives and pass the estate to them.

Q: What happens after someone who has a last will passes away?

The probate court disposes of the assets in accordance with the last will and the law.

Q: Does a person have to have a minimum amount of assets to create a last will?

No - - a person can create a last will to dispose of assets worth \$10 or \$10 million. Of course, the distribution of those assets can have tax implications. For that reason, it is important that you understand how inheritance will be taxed as you make your estate planning decisions. It is often wise to consult with estate planning professionals, especially for large or complicated estates.

Q: What is the difference between a living will and a last will?

The basic difference is that a last will is used to dispose of assets after death. A living will can be used to provide health care instructions in advance, such as whether or not life support is desired.

Q: What are the main benefits of a living trust vs. a last will?

A last will's main benefit is its simplicity. Anyone can write a last will. The drawback is that your family members may have to wait months or even years until your property goes through the courts and is distributed.

A living trust, on the other hand, can be used to transfer property and assets to beneficiaries without going through the probate process. This can save years of time and thousands in fees. Also, it keeps your estate private, whereas a last will, once probated, will become public record.

People often use a last will and a living trust together. A last will can be used in conjunction with a living trust to name guardians for minors and express final wishes not otherwise captured in a living trust.

Q: How do I decide what's best for me?

As you can see, wills are not necessarily complicated. They are actually among the simplest legal documents. Whether or not a will is wholly adequate for your estate planning needs depends on your individual circumstances. If you're unsure what you need to protect your family, consult a lawyer. The most important thing is that you don't neglect planning your estate. It's the best way to protect your loved ones and make sure your assets are distributed according to your wishes. Consider Christ the King Lutheran Foundation as a great way to leave a legacy to your church.



Aaron's Staff

Aaron's Staff, a monthly respite care ministry to special needs children and adults, is in need of volunteers, but especially nurses. If you are a nurse, please consider volunteering, even if just once or twice a year. We serve on Saturdays from 3:00-8:00pm. See Debbie Fick for more information. 205-862-1704.

Black Belt Saturdays



Black Belt (Rich Soil Region) Saturday Mission

Saturday September 7 in Camden, AL

Contact the church office to coordinate travel

Websites:

A Promise To Help <https://www.apromisetohelp.com/>

The Black Belt News Network <https://www.facebook.com/The-Black-Belt-News-Network-2313921062224293/>

JOB **OPPORTUNITY**

We are accepting applications for the following positions.
Please submit your resume to the church office.

Business Manager

CDC Teacher



Safety & Security

A PEARL OF WISDOM

Don't be alarmed by the things that you hear, see happening, or rumors that are circulating, says the LORD. Your response to the bad news that causes others to fear and tremble needs to be different. Counter it with the GOOD NEWS that I have given you. Be steadfast in your faith and trust in Me at all times. You will become a pillar of strength as you remain strong in Me. I have called you out of the darkness, into my marvelous light. As you remain fearless, you will not only prevail over the enemy but lead others to the SECURITY and SAFETY that will be found exclusively in Me, says the LORD. Stand up! Gear up, and get ready to resist the enemy, as I have equipped you and prepared you to do, says the LORD. For great is the result of your unwavering faith, as you refuse to cower, resist fear and remain confident in Me and My infallible Word, and are a doer of it. Your decision will impact the lives of those around you, and you will be a signpost that will direct others to Me, says the LORD. Amen.

**** WE NEED MORE TEAM MEMBERS ****

| September 2024 | September 1 | September 8 | September 15 | September 22 | September 29 |
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| 8:00 a.m. | Dennis Stanek | CJ Crum | Todd Vegter | Dave Demsky | Dennis Stanek |
| 10:40 a.m. | Jeff Minner | Robbie Wahl | Jeff Minner | Jake Daniel | Jeff Minner |

| September 2024 | September 1 | September 8 | September 15 | September 22 | September 29 |
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| Children Time 8:00 am 10:40 am | Patsy Scott | Wendi Vegter | Wendi Vegter | Baptism | Patsy Scott |
| | Baptism | Binnie Myles | Binnie Myles | Maureen Lynn | Maureen Lynn |
| Lector 8:00 am 10:40 am | Laurel Stanek | Kathy Stepanski | Wendi Vegter | Sherry Gilbert | Laurel Stanek |
| | Anita Humphries | Crystal Rice | Arden Melton | Doug Sweeney | Binnie Myles |
| Prayers 8:00 am 10:40 am | Maizie Nelson | Maizie Nelson | Kathy Stepanski | Carla Demsky | Debbie Fick |
| | Amanda DeGreen | Maureen Lynn | Gerry Roden | Amanda DeGreen | Shandra Graf |
| Ushers 8:00 am 10:40 am | Steve & Connie Owen | Lee & Joye Sherrill | Steve & Connie Owen | Casey Van Kralingen, Mark Scott | Sherry & David Gilbert |
| | Pat & Larry Loyacano | Jeff Minner | Jake Daniel | Jeff Minner | Jake Daniel |
| Communion 8:00 am 10:40 am | Mark & Patsy Scott | Mark & Patsy Scott | Todd & Wendi Vegter | Dave & Carla Demsky | Mike & Matsy Remillard |
| | Sharon Swysgood, Lydia Pizner | Shandra Graf, Camille | Eric & Amy Hoaglund | Doug & Wilma Sweeney | Pat Loyacano, Sharon Swysgood |
| Crucifer 8:00 am 10:40 am | Ashton Gorby | Ranae Remillard | Ashton Gorby | Lizzy Plaia | Mikal Remillard |
| | Aria Shelley | Megan Durbin | Arden Melton | Madison Daniel | Cate Wahl |
| Acolyte 8:00 am 10:40 am | Vera & Russell Moore | Mikal Remillard, Lizzy Plaia | Vera & Russell Moore | Mikal & Ranae Remillard | Ranae Remillard, Ashton Gorby |
| | Gabe Swysgood, Aubrie Nagel | Olivia Durbin, Cate Wahl | Ella Grace George | Aubrie Nagel | Volunteer |
| Banner 8:00 am 10:40 am | Volunteer | Volunteer | Volunteer | Volunteer | Volunteer |
| | Volunteer | Volunteer | Mason Fleming | Kendall Cross | Volunteer |



3:33 Prayer

Please join our 3:33 prayer ministry by stopping each day at 3:33 to pray, "Lord please bring/continue revival in this nation and your church, and start/continue your revival in me."

40 Days of Prayer

As God has led us in this chapter of our life in Christ, when in 2003, it was put on our hearts to daily pray together the 3:33 prayers. So too, it's only through prayer that we can see where God would lead us now. Please join together in daily prayer:

1. *Dear God, help me to see with your eyes, (Matt. 14:14; 15:32) and reach out with your hands, (Mark 13:16; Luke 8:54) and be your body. (1 Cor. 12:27)*

And

2. *Lord God, I pray for Christ the King Lutheran Church, along with the surrounding community you've given us to serve. Show us your way, both dismantling what you didn't start, and also removing the opposition in each of us so that you can accomplish, through us, the ministry that you want to do.*

Please join us in stopping to pray EVERY DAY at 7:14 am and 7:14 pm and pray and act in accord with this command of God from 2 Chronicles 7:14 – "...if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land." Spread the word!



September Memory Verse:

"For God so loved the world that he gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16

Let's Celebrate!!

September Baptisms

9/1 Audrey Hains
 9/1 Robbie Wahl
 9/2 Gabe Swysgood
 9/5 Ruth Wilger
 9/21 Ralph Hyatt
 9/22 Linda Bargman
 9/24 Austin Lewis
 9/27 Tom Nelson
 9/28 Brady Dunn



September Anniversaries

9/8 Dave & Carla Demskey 40 years
 9/8 Todd & Wendi Vegter 23 years
 9/19 CJ Crum & Sharon Gray 3 years
 9/23 Loren & Val Stiffler 29 years

September Birthdays

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| 9/1 Alex Pierce | 9/12 Pastor Chris |
| 9/1 Rose Betz | 9/12 Chris George |
| 9/2 Linda Bargman | 9/12 Bob Bender |
| 9/2 Wilma Sweeney | 9/18 Elise Catron |
| 9/3 Mary Anne Smith | 9/18 Mike Remillard |
| 9/3 Autumn Kusiak | 9/19 Robert Johnson |
| 9/3 Kirsten Wrona | 9/21 Beth Brasher |
| 9/4 Scott Foster | 9/21 Sherry Gilbert |
| 9/5 Tim Champion | 9/21 Sherry Stepanski |
| 9/5 Cruz Dearing | 9/21 Linda Kretzschmar |
| 9/5 Rachel Garrett | 9/21 Sonia Armando |
| 9/6 Colleen Wilger | 9/22 Melissa Segrest |
| 9/7 Chuck Segrest | 9/22 David Walter |
| 9/8 Debra Horton | 9/25 Jen Wallace |
| 9/8 Ashley Hagemeyer | 9/25 Flavia Armando |
| 9/9 Darlene Thorson | 9/27 Seraphina Carter |
| 9/9 Wendy Wrona | 9/28 Ashton Gorby |
| 9/10 Maria Vandenberg | 9/29 Brooks Melton |
| 9/10 Vera Moore | 9/29 Gena Trammel |
| 9/11 Dick Baumgarten | 9/30 Kathy Stepanski |
| 9/11 Rich Richardson | 9/30 Landon Daniel |
| 9/11 Cassie Carter | |

October Birthdays

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| 10/2 Alba Vaccarella | 10/16 Chris Grossmann |
| 10/3 Ray Hayden | 10/17 Jesse Gomez |
| 10/3 Dustin Page | 10/18 AJ Branon |
| 10/4 Donia Gentry | 10/20 Ross Gregson |
| 10/5 Clarence Watson | 10/21 Maddie Nethery |
| 10/6 Dick Herring | 10/27 Ricky Palao, Jr |
| 10/10 Mikal Remillard | 10/30 Ben Brasher |
| 10/10 Ranae Remillard | 10/31 Elli Wahl |
| 10/11 Sharon Swysgood | |
| 10/15 Mason Fleming | |





2024-2025 Church Council

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Please join us for Worship:

Wednesday:

11:45 a.m.
6:30 p.m.

Sunday:

8:00 a.m. Traditional
10:40 a.m. Contemporary

Other ways to connect with or worship with us:

Facebook

www.facebook.com/ctkbham

YouTube

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/
UC237g0ckx5mXo3yUynJmJ2g](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC237g0ckx5mXo3yUynJmJ2g)

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